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Dear Mr. Weisberg,

In the spring of 1968, Denver suffered the rampages of a flood. Although our home was in no danger whatsoever, the constant pouring rain caused our basement to leak several feet of water. Consequently, all of my assassination data was destroyed. Since that time, I have graduated from high school, and been busy trying to build my own life.

I apologize deeply fro having seemingly ignored you since we last wrote, but I just didn't have the time to rebuild my assassination collection. If you knew what I went through to get you adress, you'd be shocked.

In the past several months, I have rebuilt most of my collection. Valuable letters, such as thos I received from you, and even one from Lee Oswald's mother can never be replaced. I have just finished reading two books on the assassination. One, a pile of dribble built mostly on the CBS News whitewashx and another by Epstein that shocked me deeply. I'm sure you have read it. Were you aware of what was going on in that DA's office while you were working for him? I find it hard to believe that it would be so. Maybe this book doesn't give an accurate picture of the case. If so, I would like to know, but nevertheless, I would like to know what you uncovered as far as New Orleans was concerned. Have you published anything about it? Also, the book youx were working on which was supposed to have given me credit for my little detective work; is it available in any form that you could send to me? And last, is there any way I could help you with anything? Of course, if you send me anything, I would be more than happy to pay for it.

Is there anything happening now? The public seems to have

dug into the burrows of apathy concerning the assassination controversy since Garrison, the Jolly Green Rooster, as he can now be called, laid his golden, blood spattered egg. I notice Mark Lane has deserted the cause to join Jane Fonda in an anti war thing. I talked with her a few months ago, and I really don't think she knows just exactly what she's fighting for.

Well, I look forward to hearing from you as soon as possible, and to maybe meeting you someday. Please write soon.

Your freind,

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